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PART II - MISCELLANEOUS NOTIFICATIONS OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC

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NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS Etc.,

**DIRECTOR OF TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING,
GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH,
MANGALAGIRI.**

Procdgs Roc.No.3192/2014/M3.

Dated: 24-01-2020.

ALLEGATION OF CORRUPTION AGAINST Smt.THEERTHAM BHARATHI, TPBO, FORMERLY AT RAJAMPETA MUNICIPALITY - TRAPPED BY ACB AUTHORITIES ON 28-04-2014 - CONVICTED BY THE SPECIAL JUDGE FOR SPE&ACB CASES, KURNOOL IN CC No.13/2015, Dt. 13-09-2019 - IMPOSING A PENALTY OF '**DISMISSAL FROM SERVICE**' - ORDERS - ISSUED.

Read : 1. G.O.Ms.No.568, M.A., Dt: 23-05-1981.

2. G.O.Ms.No.346, M.A., Dt:20-07-2013

3. G.O.Ms.No.2, GAD (Ser.C) Dept., Dt: 04-01-1999.

4. G.O.Ms.No.458, GAD (Ser.C) Dept., Dt: 22-09-2009.

5. G.O.Ms.No.194, GAD (SR) Dept., Dt: 29-5-2014.

6. Radio Message Dt: 28-04-2014 & Dt: 29-04-2014 received from the DSP, ACB, Tirupathi Range.

7. This office Procdgs.Roc.No.3192/2014/M3, Dt: 03-05-2014.

8. Govt.Memo No.8355/Vig.I(2)/2014, MA&UD (Vig.I) Dept., Dt: 24-02-2015.

9. This office Procdgs.Roc.No.3192/2014/M3/ V. Cell, Dt: 17-03-2015.

10. Govt.Memo No.8355/Vig.I(2)/2014, MA&UD (Vig.I) Dept., Dt: 24-08-2015.

11. This office Procdgs.Roc.No.3192/2014/M3, Dt: G2-09-2015.

12. Judgment in CC No. 13/2015, Dt: 13.09.2019 of Special Judge for trial of SPE and ACB cases, Kurnool.

13. Govt.Memo No.8355/Vig.III-1/2014, MA&UD Dept., Dt: 10-01-2020.

ORDER :

Whereas, the DSP, ACB, Tirupathi Range vide Radio Message read (6) above has reported about the ACB Trap against Smt.Theertham Bharathi, Town Planning Building Overseer, while officiating at Rajampeta Municipality when she demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.4000/- from the complainant Sri.Shaik Sirajuddin, S/o Khajamohiddin R/o Rajampeta as illegal gratification other than legal remuneration for doing official favour of issuing Building Plan approval of the complainant for undertaking construction of 2nd floor by the complainant. The accused officer was arrested on 28-04-2014 at 5 pm and she was produced before the Hon'ble Judge for the Trail of ACB Cases, Kumool for judicial custody on 29-04-2014 at 7.30 pm. The accused officer was remanded to Judicial Custody upto 12-05- 2014. A case has been registered in CR No.7/RCT-TCD/2014 u/s 7, 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (d) of the PC Act., 1988 of ACB, Kadapa Tirupathi Range, Dated: 28-04-2014.

And whereas, the matter has been examined by the Appointing Authority and since there is a prima facie, under Rule 8, sub-rule (2) (a) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991, said Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO, formerly at Rajampeta Municipality has been kept under deemed suspension w.e.f.29-04-2014 i.e. from the date of her detention vide proceedings read (7) above.

And whereas, as per the instructions of the Government vide memo read (8) above, the appointing authority vide proceedings read (9) above have sanctioned orders for prosecution of the accused officer Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO in a court of law under section 7 and 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (d) of the PC Act., 1988.

And whereas, as per the instructions of the Government in memo read (10) above, the orders of suspension against said Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO were revoked and she is reinstated into duty and posted at Srikalahasthi Municipality vide proceedings read (11) above.

And whereas, the Special Judge for ACB Cases, Kumool has pronounced judgment in CC No.13/2015, dt.13.09.2019 read (12) above, convicting the accused Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO, formerly at Rajampeta Municipality and sentenced her to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of three years and also a fine of Rs. 5000/- each for the offences punishable u/s 7 and also under 13(1) (d) r/w 13(2) of PC Act., 1988 and in default of payment of fine, she shall undergo simple imprisonment for a period of three months and both the substantive sentences of imprisonment imposed against accused shall run concurrently.

And ivhereas, it is considered that the conduct of the said Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO has led to her conviction, is such as to warrant the imposition of a major penalty of 'Dismissal from Service'.

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred on the Director of Town and Country Planning, Government of AP, Mangalagiri vide the orders of the Government in GOs read (1) & (2) above and in pursuance of the orders in GOs read (3) to (5) above and Govt.Memo read (13) above, the undersigned hereby impose a penalty of '**Dismissal from Service**' against Smt.Teertham Bharathi, Town Planning Building Overseer, formerly at Rajampeta Municipality, , presently posted at Srikalahasthi Municipality, working on full time OD basis at Chittoor Municipal Corporation with immediate effect under clause (x) of Rule 9 r/w Rule 25 (i) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991, as she has been convicted by the judgment in CC No.13/2015, Dt:13.09.2019 of Hon'ble Special Judge for ACB Cases, Kumool.

The Commissioners concerned shall take necessary action accordingly.

V. RAMUDU,

Director of Town and Country Planning.

To,
Smt.T.Bharathi, TPBO,
through the Commissioner, Srikalahasthi Mplty./Chittoor Municipal Corporation. **By R.P.A.D./
by Ordinary post.**

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